This opinion is supported by data revealing that purchasing control by the local subdivisions under the law as it presently stands can and in fact has resulted in substantial savings of public funds.

For the reasons outlined above I feel compelled to veto House Bill 282.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely yours.

(s) J. MILLARD TAWES. Governor.

The Speaker put the question: Shall the bill pass notwithstanding the objections of the Executive?

Affirmative-None

Negative

Messrs.-

Speaker, Briscoe, Fowler, Boyer, Joiner, Bertier, Duvall, Fallon, Helms, Larrimore, Weidemeyer, Benner, Dowell, Linton, Perrin, McCurdy, Bossle, MacDaniel, Maguire, McMillan, Medairy, Peters, Price, Rush, Spurrier, Staten, Stone, Tyler, Harrison, Latham, Lowe (T.), Long (Chas.), Quinn, Bennett, Matthews, Merryweather, Spicer, Burkheimer, Harris, Johnson, Conroy, Dentz, Emanuel, Goodman, Hart, Koonce, Marshall, McDonough, Wineland, Hickman (C. M.), Risley, Hickman (R.), Pilchard, Polk, Byron, Collins, Houck, Payne, Remsberg, Virts, Blair, Hardwicke, Hess, Scarff, Blades, Wise, Bullock, Kosakowski, Silk, Walters, Antonelli, Behounek, Holub, Lapides, McCourt, Ray, Acker, Kircher, Krug, Mooney, O'Malley, Palmisano, Abramson (J.), Abramson (M.), Epstein, Mitchell, Cardin, Friedman, Resnick, Siegel, Silver, Stark, Baumann, Baynes, Corrigan, McGuirk, Murphy, Wheatley, Dillon, Grumbacher, Hoffman, Spence, Tingle, Anderson (T. M.), Blondes, Bresler, Cook (E. P.), Doing, McAuliffe, McInerney, Miller, Moore, Evans, Beall, Cook (N. S.), Reed, See, Williams, Dulany, Magin, O'Farrell, Yingling, Hanna, Warfield, Caldwell, Long (J. J.), Lowe (H.), White, Bray, Glotfelty, Groves.

The Speaker announced the veto was sustained.

House Bill No. 381—McCready Hospital in Somerset County

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 566 (b) of Article 43 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1963 Supplement), title "Health," subtitle "Hospitals," to change provisions for financing of a nursing home hospital adjacent to Edward McCready Hospital in Somerset County by limiting CHANGING the amount contributed thereto by Somerset County, changing the size of the hospital and removing unnecessary requirements relating to reimbursement of the County and the State agency to cooperate with the County in this project.

Honorable Marvin Mandel Speaker of the House State House Annapolis, Maryland

April 7, 1964

Dear Mr. Speaker:

I have today vetoed House Bill 381, passed during the 1964 regular session of the General Assembly, and, in accordance with the provisions of Article 2, Section 17 of the Constitution, I am returning this bill to you, along with my veto message.